

The Connecticut State Department of Education Performance Office

Interim Assessment Webinar Series



Webinar 1: What's New on the Smarter Balanced Interim Assessments?

Date: November 3, 2016, 3:45-4:45

Audience: Returning users, elementary or middle school teachers, district and school administrators

Description: This webinar will provide updates on the supporting systems unique to the 2016-17 Smarter Balanced Interim Assessments for mathematics and English language arts/literacy including the Teacher Hand Scoring System, the Assessment Viewing Application, the Online Reporting System, and the new AIRways interim reporting system.

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Webinar 2: An Overview of the Smarter Balanced Interim Assessments

Date: November 7, 2016, 3:45-4:45

Audience: New users, elementary or middle school teachers, district and school administrators

Description: This webinar will focus on the purposes of and benefits for using the math and English language arts/literacy interim assessment blocks to monitor and improve instruction. It will provide information on administering and scoring the assessments using the Teacher Hand Scoring System, test blueprints, and AIRways, along with other systems that support the Interim Assessments such as the Assessment Viewing Application.

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Webinar 3: An Overview of the Smarter Balanced English Language Arts/Literacy Interim Assessments 101

Date: November 10, 2016, 3:45-4:45

Audience: New users, elementary or middle school teachers, district and school administrators

Description: This webinar will focus on the purposes of and benefits for using the English language arts/literacy interim assessments to monitor and improve instruction. It will provide detailed information on the ELA blueprints and interim assessment blocks in addition to general information regarding the administration and scoring of ELA interim assessments.

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Webinar 4: An Overview of the Smarter Balanced Mathematics Interim Assessments 101

Date: November 14, 2016, 3:45-4:45

Audience: New users, elementary or middle school teachers, district and school administrators

Description: This webinar will focus on the purposes of and benefits for using the math interim assessments to monitor and improve instruction. It will provide detailed information on the math blueprints and interim assessment blocks in addition to general information regarding the administration and scoring of math interim assessments.

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Webinar 5: An Overview of AIRways

Date: January 19, 2017 3:45-4:45

Audience: All users, elementary or middle school teachers, district and school administrators

Description: This webinar will provide an overview of AIRways, a new reporting program developed by the American Institutes for Research (AIR) that complements the Online Reporting System for interim assessment data. Accessed with a TIDE username/password, this system gives teachers an opportunity to view student responses to test items, generate item-level data, and much more!

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Webinars will be recorded and posted to the Library of Professional Learning Materials on CTCoreStandards.org.

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